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Our Case No. 9281-4147
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Hideki Masudaya)

Serial No. 09/924,977)

Filing Date: 08/08/2001)

For: Vehicle-Mounted input for Centralized
Operation of Various Vehicle-Mounted
Electronic Devices with Single manual
Manipulator)

Examiner: Hun Ming Liu

Group Art Unit: 2697

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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Dear Sir:

This is in Reply to the Patent Office Action, mailed on December 29, 2003 in the above referenced application. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration, reexamination and allowance of claims 1 - 10 in view of the following claim amendments and remarks.

Application No. 09/924,977
Reply to Office Action of December 29, 2003

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.